



Maine Revenue Services  
Augusta, Maine

PERMANENT EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE

This Exemption Certificate  
is issued under the provisions of Title 36, Part 3 MRSA

MAINE STATE OF  
d/b/a DEPT MARINE RESOURCES  
21 STATE HOUSE STA  
AUGUSTA, ME 04333-0021

Registration Number: E80732  
Date Effective: February 12, 2000  
Date Issued: August 16, 2006

ACTING EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

*Jerome D. Berard*

Form ST-2  
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This certifies that the organization named above is an agency, branch, or instrumentality of the federal government, the State of Maine or a political subdivision of the State of Maine, and is therefore entitled to purchase tangible personal property or taxable services that will be used exclusively by the organization for the purposes for which it is organized without payment of the Maine sales or use tax.

**Note to the Organization:** This certificate is not to be used in activities that are mainly commercial enterprises including, but not limited to, purchases of items which will be resold by the organization. A copy of this certificate with the certification completed below, must be provided to your vendors in order to purchase goods exempt from tax. It is only necessary to provide one copy to the vendor. Subsequent purchases should indicate that the purchase is exempt from tax. In order to be exempt, the sale must be billed directly to and paid for directly by the organization named on the exemption certificate. This certificate cannot be used for purchases when payments are made with cash, personal checks, or personal credit cards.

**Note to the Vendor:** This certificate must be taken in good faith from the taxpayer named above. Your good faith may be questioned if you have knowledge of facts which give rise to a reasonable inference that the purchaser is not the holder of the exemption certificate or that the merchandise is not to be used exclusively by the organization. This certificate is valid only if the following certification is completed.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY: That the above exemption certificate is valid, that the tangible personal property described herein which I shall purchase from \_\_\_\_\_ will be used exclusively by the organization named above for purposes for which it is organized.

Description of property to be purchased:

*George Lapointe, Commissioner*

*[Signature]*  
Authorized Signature

*September 6, 2006*

Date